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A. T. Powers of Winfield is in the city. Ira Barnett of Arkansas City is at the

J. C. Osborn of Chicago is a guest at the J. D. Carter of Norwich is at the Occi-

Geo. C. Kofers of Chicago, is at the Man-T. B. Forbes of Authony is at the Manhattan,

B. F. Smith of Coldwater is a guest at the Carey. P. L. Voorbis of Topeka is a guest at the Metropole.

J. A. Smith of Eureka is a guest at the W. A. Springer of Boston is in the city

H. F. Benter of Iowa City is stopping A. B. Krickbaum of Philadelphia is at the Occident il.

John H. Allen of New York is a guest at the Metropole. W. H. Coffeld of Hutchinson is at the

L. C. Reben of Green Bay, Wis., is at the Metropole.

Past Department Commander Tim McCarthy and Past Department

the Carey last night.

Ike Schwartz of Kansas City has accepted a position with the Golden Eagle.

of any bunting they may have on hand. F. D. W. Arnold and H. C. Brondon of amar, Mo., were at the Metropole yes-

Mrs. I T. Ault and children are all sick

N. A. English is confined at his home on South Topeka, by sickness.

Senator Bentley was in Viola yesterday attending a law suit in that thriving burg.

Mr. George W. Larimer has Just returned from an extensive trip along the Pa-

Miss Carrie Traley has accepted a position as stenograper with the firm of Douglass & Smyth

Don't neglect securing your seats to hear Will Carleton. Sale commences this morning at 9 oclock.

is in the city, a guest of mine host Black, at the Manhattan hotel.

Black, agard to the design. It was further suggested that there might be some residents of Wichita who

Mrs. Josie M. Hayward will return to Anthony this morning, after a week's visit with Wichita friends. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ruggles who have

been here visiting Judge Ruggles, returned to their home in Kansas City yesterday. H. N. Garland, western passenger agent, and Hon, James Garvey, traveling passenger agent of the Wabash railroad, are in

this morning for a short visit with parents | cess of their entertainment on Monday

and friends at their old home at Coffey-William Horton, the colored man who

was shot on South Fourth avenue last year was given a license yesterday to marry

for Douglas, Kan., where they attend the tions. funeral of Mr. Pearce's mother, who died there on Tuesday.

John Knight, the centlemanly street car conductor, who has worked so faithfully on the Topeka avenue line for the past two years, is taking a much needed rest.

J. M. Knapp will leave tonight for Kansas City to meet some of the general officers of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company of Springfleid, Mass.

Quite a swell party was given in Beal's hall in the opera house last night. There was quite an attendance and a pleasant evening was spent. It was a formal affair.

Judge Sluss arrived home yesterday from Santa Fe, where the federal land court has been bearing an important case what figure will that cut in comparison airsing over a Mexican or Spanish grant with the honor of being mayor of that located in Arizona. located in Arizona.

Rev. S. E. Busser, the grand chaplain of Kansas territory' Let Mayor Carey re the Grand Masonic bodies of the state of ceive him and care for him as his rank Kansas, was in the city yesterday, being descrees. ott Corbett. Mr. Busser's home is in Dodge City and he was on his way to Fort Scott, where he is county, was in the city yesterday on busito deliver a lecture this evening on ness. Mr. Everett is recognized as a politically Wichita's way.

TONIGHT'S BANQUET.

This evening at about the hour of 10 o'clock a banquet will be served at the Metropole in honor of the department offi-cers composing the council of administration of the G. A. R. which will be in session here, for the purpose of conferring with the reunion committee of twenty-five in relation to the state soldiers reunion, which will be held either at the fair grounds or at Riverside Park during one week in the coming summer or fall.

mapder lecompton; George K. Spencer, S V. commander, Salina; T. B. Gerow, J. V. commander, Atchison; E. H. Cooke, medical director, Herrington; J. E. Brant, chaplain, Fort Scott; A. B. Cambpell, A. A. G., Topeka; S. H. Andrews, A. Q. M. general, Lawrence; R. A. Campbell, judge advocate, Hutchinson; B. H. Downing, A. I. general, Wichita; J. H. Downing, chief mustering officer, Hays City; elective members A. L., Vorhees Russel, J. Allen

different parts of the state. The arrangements for the reunion will store. be consumated by the committee of twenty-five on behalf of Wichita, with the council of administration on behalf of the Grand Army of the Republe. For eight held principally at Topeka. In point of members no other class of gatherings con-

multitude of people.

Some of these reunions have been notable events and have reflected great credit upon their management. It is the wish and design of the committee of twenty-five to make the reunion of 1893 eclipse all other events of a like character both in point of attractions and general attendance from the state at large.

possibility without any more material benefit accruing to them, than to the man who contributes nothing of time, energy, labor or money on its behalf. To all expromises a week of pleasant recreation and includes as guests (aside from the press) only ex-soldiers. The spread will be laid for 101 plates-the maximum number of an infantry company under the regime. The after-dinner speeches will be made by the following comrades in the order named, viz: Post Commander Murray Myres, Department Commander A. R. Greene, Comrade H. W. Lewis, S. V. Commander Geo. K. Spencer, J. V. Com-mander T. B. Grover, Comrade J. R. Hallowell, A. A. General A. B. Campbell, Judge Advocate R. A. Campbell, Com-rade W. T. Campbell, Medical Director Wm. Killian of Chicago is stopping at E. H. Cook, Chaplain J. E. Brant, Past Department Commander T. J. Anderson,

B. M. Drake of New York was at the shots from the boys all along the line. Marton Wallman of Kansas City was at convey the distinguished guests to the fair grounds and Riverside park in order Geo. Elkin of Cherryvale, was at the Manhattan last night. fair grounds and Riverside park in order that the selection of the grounds may be E. W. Blankman of New Mexico is a satisfactory to them after a personal inspection of the merits or demarits of each. L. G. Jennings of Anthony was at the Manhattan last evening.

It would be in good taste if all our business houses would make a public display ness houses would make a public display from his astonishment.

### AN UNMARKED GRAVE.

WICHITA, Kan., April 20, 1822. To the Editor of the Bagle.

DEAR SIR-At the meeting of Emporia Presbytery, held in Wellington last week, Rev. W. H. Robinson of this city made the statement that the 'grave of Rev. W. K. Boggs, who organized, and was the first paster of the First Presbyterian church of this city, was unmarked by any headatone. He was buried in our beautiful cometery on College Hill. Immediatequested to receive subscriptions to place a suitable stone above his grave. In a few minutes over \$22 was subscribed and paid, and by order of the probytery Rev. S. Fleming, D. D., Rev. W. H. Robinson, E. Higginson and R. E. Lawrence were appointed a committee to take under the funds and place such a monument to his memory as could be purchased for the amount that could be raised for the puramount that could be raised for the purchase are to consult with Mrs. Mr. Turner, agent for the Howe scales, Boggs, who is at present in this city, in re-

knew Rev. Dr. Boggs, who would like to donate towards this worthy object. Only small subscriptions are desired, and if any will add to this fund they will confer a favor by handing their subscriptions to either of the above named gentlemen this week, so the committee may perform their duty at once. Very respectfully yours, R. E. LAWRENCE.

### THE COLUMBIAN CLUB

The Woman's Columbian Club desire to Mrs. B. T. Dunn and daughter started named below, to whom much of the supevening was due, viz:

To all who took part in the program in the council chamber, to Misses Mueller, Rose and Culp, Messrs Finlay Ross, Cash Henderson, Charles Beal, Colonel and Mrs. Stewart of the Metropole, Mr. W. H. Troupe, Mrs. J. H. Biack, Mrs. George W. S. Morris came in on the 10:20 Santa | Knorr, H. M. Jones, Robert Holliday, J. ing and shoes were received from the following him. In a pleasant call at the Eaglis Fe train yesterday morning Fixing W. Ciayton, the Crystal Ice company, fences is the order of the day with candi- Bryan Fruit company, Mr. Charles Smyth, the Grand Army post, the Carlton school ley, Bateman, J. H. Moore, and several firemen and policemen who The

> tionally. Every one to whom an opportunisuch we extend our grateful thanks.

#### For the Columbian Club by MRS' B. H. CAMPBELL, Pres.

MAYOR OF LECOMPTON.

Today Wichita will be bonored with the presence of the mayor of Lecompton, Hon. given by a number of the young ladies A. R. Greene. Of course the Grand Army boys will note his presence as commander of the department of Kansas Grand Army of the Republic, and the business men will greet him as chairman of the state board of railroad commissioners. and the long-time pyo-slavery capital of

A. G. Everett of Reece, Greenwood He reports western Kansas prominent and active Republican worker I by his party at home.

Alexander Walker, the old gentleman who was so badly burned from fainting on

a red hot stove Tuesday, died at 2:30 yesterday at the Wichita hospital. His son will arrive this morning from Arkansas City, at which time the necessary arrangements for the funeral will be made. MISS ENGLISH THE WINNER.

Miss Maude English was the successful contestant for the prize offered by Pro-fessor Waterbury, of Waterbury School of The council of adminstration consists of Stenography, to the pupil making the fifteen members, viz.: A. R. Green, comfewest number of mistakes, in a contest of 160 letters. A volume entitled, "Laurel Leaves," daintily bound in olive and gold was the gift Miss English was the happy recipient of.

The ladies of Ivy Leaf Chapter, order of

the Eastern Star, will give their grand ball omorrow night and it promises to be one of the grandest successes of the season as they are making big arrangements to members A. L. Vorbees Russel, J. Allen maks it an elaborate affair. The tickets porter, Sterling, and three others from are now on sale at Richt's drug store. Ap-

A WARRANT SWORN OUT. A warrant has been sworn out against the man Rhodes who shot the colored man the Grand Army of the Republc. For eight or nine years these reunions have been with intent to kill. This shooting case has wrought up considerable excitement vened in the state, draw together so vast a on North Wichita for several blocks around and if the case is prosecuted Rhodes may find it uncomfortable. The colored people of the city are set on push-

Juanita council No. 2 will give a basket social and dance at Peerless hall this evening. Each lady bringing a basket will see it contains enough for two, and each The committee whilst able to cope suc- basket will have a ticket in it admitting cessfully with obstacles and difficulties bearer to the dance. Au excellent prowhich always beset the pathway of any gram has been arranged and a good time enterprize of so gigantic a character, feel is expected. Paddy Shea will sing some of that they need the encouragemut and hearty co-operation of every man and woman in Wichita. There should be a full costume will sing an Indian song. A unanimity of sentiment to stand by the cordial invitation is extended to all Redcommittee of twenty-five who have under-men, their families and friends, and don't taken to shoulder the burden of this re-forget your baskets.

#### AT THE GARFIELD.

The fairy ball given by Miss Lucy Ford labor or money on its behalf. To all ex-cept the committee itself the reunion very interesting event. Those who remember Miss Ford's ball of last year will pastime. It promises a rich harvest to all tradesman and if properly conducted will be the greatest advertisement for Wichita dance by little Birdie, will be one of the dance by little Birdie, will be one of the agod lot after first coming within an about features. Persons who have seen since the encompment was held in 1886. The members of the C. of A. who will be here today are all prominent, not only in Grand Army circles, or in their redoning that has been in this city this a set of spective communities, but in the state at large. This banquet, which is held in eight of the smallest children who will their honor, from force of circumstances dance the Prairie Queen quadrille with may not believe this, but it is a fact, nevout prompting.

#### NO PLIES ON HER.

Sheriff Ault was in Oklahoma City yesterday and saw a strange but clever pro-ceeding there and one which illustrates the desperate measures a person will take to get a claim. The fourth man in the file before the land office was at all bow-legged fellow who had been holding his position in the line for three weeks. Behind him stood a young woman who had also been in line for several weeks. When the door of the land office opened at noon the first thizers for an hour and a half. She talked man entered and flied. The second man upon the Alliance issues. was wearing away, ficet horses were scouring the country for claims and the woman Commander Milton Stewart, with picket who was at this time second in the line was becoming very impatient for she was intending to file on a quarter section land adjoining a county seat. When the door opened for the next person to enter the woman stooped down, made a dash between the man's legs and entered the door and filed on her claim before the astonish ed man with the bow legs had recovered witnessed by a hig crowd of people all of whem cheered loudly.

At 12 o'clock last night the fire department was called out to the corner of Donglas and Emporia avenues. Upon arriving there the candy factory of Mr. Lattlefield was found in a blaze, and with the characteristic rapidity of the department a stream of water was turned against the lican convention Saturday, and there is building. In less than three minutes from the time the department got there the blaze was extinguished. The origin of the combustible matter, as it was impossible for any one to get in there, the doors being locked and the keys placed in Mr. Littleyeld's own pocket. The loss was not estimated when this report was obtained, but it is not likely that it will amount to more than a few hundred dollars.

### COLORED ROME REPORT.

The following is the report of the financial secretary of the Colored Children's Home for the quarter ending March 31, 1892

Cash received from city coun-	
cil	\$ 75
From county commissioners.	177
Cash balance on hand Jan. 1,	
1892	134
Expenses.	
For matron	\$ 45.00
Groceries	09.85
Coal	21 25
Rent	15:09
Meat	10.55
Extra help	7.00
Milk	8-45
Cloth for bedding	5 40
Locks	4.5

\$121 55 134 30 Balance in treasury-Donations, for first quarter, of old clothlowing persons: Mesdames Frank Oliver, Kate Wright, Mona Anderson, Cora Ratmas, J. P. McNair, A. J. Walton, one W. W. Pearce and family yesterday left kindly assisted in arranging the decora-child's dress; Mrs Cassell, one baby dress; Mrs. J. O. Davidson, milk; Mrs. Neoma wood: Miss Blanche Alexander, peanuts

> ceived but names unknown. MIS. J. H. MOORE, Fig. Sec. The T' E. Piano club met at Misses Hays residence on South Water street at So'clocke ysterday afternoon. A very luteresting program of classical music was present. The meetings of the ciub are exceedingly interesting and instructive and are always looked forward to by the mem-bers of the club with a good deal of pleas-A number of the best planist belong to this club which is one of the leading musical organizations we have. The next meeting will take place two weeks from & Newcomb's music rooms.

The population of the new cemetary up is 368. So says Commissioner John M. Allen who was looking over the hooks yester lay.

Pat Boyle of Englewood was in the city

WICHITA AT THE OPENING.

Wichita time was the official time for the opening of the Cheyenne and Arapa-hoc country to settlement. Monday Gov-ernor Seay telegraphed here for the time and set his watch accordingly and all the other starters in the great race were timed by the governor.

W. A. Arey of the Kansas Furniture company of this city secured a nice lot in Okarche and will build a business build-

John V. Moffat, a former Wichita man was the leading spirit in the organization of the townsite at the junction of the two railway lines near El Reno.

A Wichita minister, Rev. Mr. Munroe, made a race for a town lot in Okarche and had a contest on his hands two minutes after owning it. Another man from Cana dian county insisted that Mr. Munroe jumped his lot and used some hard anguage to the minister.

Ex-Policeman Longmeyer of this city was the first man appointed to office in the new town of Okarche. He was applegates abstract office and Saur's drug pointed deputy marshal after being two hours in the town. Major Wiggins, the map man, was the

cusiest man in El Reno during the boom He made a fortune out of the sale of his Mr. Keller, son of the groceryman on

South Main street, made \$50 at El Reno last Monday, giving parties direction with reference to locating on claims. Harry Hill had a number of fast horses at Kingfisher the day of the opening, and

sold them like hot cakes at good prices. Rev. Eugene Shippen of the First Unitarian church was "in the swim" on the day of the opening. He went as far south as El Reno, and saw the great race at Okarche.

Dr. McClees, Cantain Filliter, L. D. Skinner and Sherman Skinner were at the opening and enjoyed it. Mark Oliver saw the great panorama of

of El Reno. The first drummer to open up a sample case in the town of Okarche was a Wich- following is the cast and chorus;

ita man whose name the reporter did not

ace of breaking his neck by jumping from the train before it stopped,

A Wichita man paid 20 cents for fou drinks of water at Okarche, Tuesday, The funny men of the jealous outside press ertheless. He not only bought the water but he actually drank it.

Mr. Tewomy of the Rock Island grocery on East Douglas, has opened up a branch store at Okarche. Rogers photographed "the line" in front

of the land office, and took orders and got the cash for nearly \$40 worth of pictures Mrs. M. E. Lease held forth in Peerless hall last night and talked to a small assemblage of fellow-citizens and sympa-

C. H. Rust, the pioneer harness maker of Donglas, Butler county, was in the city yesterday and bought on excellent stock of goods from Reckmeyer & Giles. Mr. Rust is one of the solid men of Douglas.

A letter from Chicago to the Editor of the Eaglie, from W. R. Payne, states that Mrs. Caroline Crosson, wife of Captain Perry Crosson, died there Monday after an illness extending over a period of five Mrs. W. Q. Church of 424 West Elm

ter will probably make Wichita their home for the summer. Mr. Kenner, editor of the Eureka Republican, who was in the city yesterday, made the editor of the EAGLE a pleasant call. Greenwood county holds her Repub-

of Topeka, Mrs. Bunker and

the promise of a lively time. fire is a mystery. Mr. Littlefield left the from the big run for homes in the Cheyenne country. He reports where he was, tive that these was no fire in the building at El Reno, that everything passed off when he left. It must have been some quietly, but the judge says it is a sight

Mr. Albert Mead, who has been connected in an official capacity with the Mexican Central railway at San Madra, Mex., arrived in the city yesterday accompanied by his wife and child, who come for a two or three mouths' visit to the family of Mr. W. B. Mead, his father,

Mr. Chas. Sullivan of the firm of Sullivisiting his family at their hansome home on College Hill. Mr. Sullivan is interested in some of the best mines in the state of mother, who is and ought to be proud of Colorado and predicts himself a million-aire in the near future, but says the Peerless Princess will at all times be his home.

received a telegram from his son, Fred, at El Reno, aunouncing the arrival at his home there the day before-opening dayof a splendid girl baby. Grandpa Van one naturally turns to the place where the Ness is felicitating not a little over the thought of another link being added his chamber, rich only in books, at a plain genealogical chain,

Governor A. P. Riddle of Minneapolis was in the city yesterday. He has been out in Kingman county, not in search of delegates but to sell a piece of land owned office the situation in the state was talked of and the conclusion reached that the signs for a different and a better state of affairs are very encouraging.

Dr. R. M. Turner, the leading physician Perhaps there were others who deserve Anderson, scrub brush and pail; Mr. H. of Chamois, Mo., was in the city resterday thanks but have been overlooked uninten- Alexander, cabbage, peas and kindling enroute from Dallas, Texas, and called on the EAGLE. He is a brother-in-law of the ty was given proved his good will toward and cookies: Mrs. William Johnson, bread: late Will Johnson, stock agent of the our cause by kindly assisting us, and to all Mrs. Laws, groceries. Other naticles re- Missouri Pacific road. The doctor is a very pleasant gentleman and is a great friend of the Peerless Princess. He visits here every year or two.

> Harry Sanford was yesterday given n'nty days and costs in Justice court for chicken stealing. The feilow ives at the corner of Fourth avenue and Waterman. The people of the southern effect upon the inevitable annual circus and it is hoped that this will put a stop to it. More arrests will be made soon.

the Missouri Pacific yesterday. Mr. Wilpraise of the Peerless Princess, and it

# Tack it On the Wall.

Get the best not the cheapest. Confine your purchases to such goods as your experience and judgment tell you are of the finest quality. No merchant can build up a profitable business by selling inferior goods. When undesirable goods accumulate the wheels of business are clogged. Sell the most reliable articles at reasonble prices. Serve your customers with Dr. Price's Delicious Flavoring Extracts as they never fail to please. In a million homes for more than a quarter of a century they have given satisfaction.

#### AMUSEMENTS.

THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE. To night at the Crawford Grand the last performance of the "Pirates of Penzence will be given. Great preparations have been been made for this event and it is expected that a large and fashionable Mark Oliver saw the great panorama of audience will be present. Everything and fleeing boomers from the high hill north everybody is ready for a finished performance of E.P. Proposition of the control ance. Miss Ella Copeland will make a decided hit in the role of Mabel. The

DRAMATIS PERSONAE. Icaru.

The first order for goods taken in Okarche was for five car loads of goods by a representative of Hutting Bros. of this city.

Sheriff Ike Ault and Under Sheriff Jim Williams were interested spectators at the opening race Tuesday.

J. W. Wilson of the Arcade was one of the early settlers of Okarche and secured

DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

Richard, a pirate chief... Norman C. Raff Samuel, his ileutenant... C. G. Pierpont Edward, sergeant of police. G. R. Hammann Major, Gen. Stanley ... F. W. Sweet Ruth, a practical maid... Mrs. N. C. Raff Edith, General Virgaline Lucy Stanley's Florence Washburn Isabel. Daughters Clara Burgesser Mabel—General Stanley's youngest daughter... Ella Copeland

CHORUS.

General Stanley's daughters, Misseas English, Moore, Dora Woods, Julia Woods, Mack, Dubois Carey, Bissant, Gallagher.

The Pirates—Messrs. Carrie, Fouts, Niederlander, Priddy, Allison, Haynes, Huttman, Pierpont.

The Policemen—Messrs. Lewis, Vincent, Henry, Mold, Longlands, Davis, Smithson, Walden.

Conductor—Henry McLachlan. Conductor-Henry McLachlan. Stage Manager-Otto Eckstein.

The elecutionary entertainment given by Miss Eva Shontz last evening in the inited Presbyterian church was a rare test. For an hour and a half she held the large audience spellbound by her inimi-table renditions of the stirring, the pathetic and the laughable. She was pathetic and the laughable. She was especially impressive in the thrilling story of the heralds ride down the doorned valley of the Conemaugh; as also in the touching picture of the cowboy's death. Yet not these alone, but the whole program, like a vari-colored realism, passed invitingly before the admiring auditors in the faultless action, diction and expression of the thorough elecutionist. By the cordial verdict of the more than the cordial verdict of the more than pleased audience, Miss Shoutz is assured in advance that her return to McKeesport would be halled with gladness and greeted with enthusiasm.—McKeesport Times.

First Presbyterian church Friday evening April 22.

These diminutive little gentlemen were born at Bologula, in Italy. Their parents were of the ordinary size. There has been of the family altogether thirteen children —three diminutive and ten tall. The eldstreet is entertaining her mother Mrs. A. Bunker and her sister Miss Fern Bunker est of three little people was a girl, called Amalia; she died fourteen years ago at the age of 34 years; she was several inches smaller than the two brothers. The brothers, Primo and Ernest Magri, are de secondants of a noble family. Count Primo is 39 years of age, 37 Inches in height, and weighs 50 penads. The brother, Baron Ernest Magri, is 38 years of age, 3814 inches

in height, and 54 pounds in weight They will give an excellent performance at the Crawford Grand Friday, Saturday, and Saturday matinee, commencing at 3 p. m.; no reserve seats at the matinee. Seats now on sale at the box office and Right's drug store.

"In Brooklyn, N. Y., lives Will Carleton, one of our younger and most popular poets. He has touched the hearts of the people as few others have done. He has made home and home affections sweeter to hundreds of thousands; he has written with a desire to make the world purer and nobler: infinitely above writing merely 'for art's sake. The Carleton home van & Steinmetz, contractors, is at home has comfort and refinement; pictures which snow that the author has traveled widely and appreciately; a sweet-faced her successful son, and an accomplished noble works. The home is full of sunshine, both from nature and from cordial hearts, and sincerity and peace reign within it. The attractive parlors, in blue, are not the most attractive rooms in the house, for poet does his daily work. In an upper desk, with nothing to distract his thoughts, Will Carleton usually writes through the morning hours. He rises early, never composes before breakfast, thinks over his subjects carefully, and then, when the work is in mind, writes out of a full heart. He said to a friend I do not dash off my lines. They do not come to me hastily. The construction of a poem with me is a labor of care and is often slow work.' In this study are books given by many authors, and letters with hearty and encouraging words from poets like the warm-hearted John G. Whittier There is another large desk, similar to the one where the poetry is written, and this s devoted to lecture correspondence and other business interests.

Seats placed on sale this merning at 9 o'clock at Hyde & Humble's book store.

RINGLING BROS CIRCUS. The tiate of the Big Show in Wichita Finally Fixed for May 21.

The backward spring has no apparent

part of town have been suffering at the visitation, and the curiosity that has rehands of chicken thieves for some time cently been aroused by the promise that the Ringling Brothers big circus would shortly exhibit in Wichita, has been renewed by the definite announcement that Saturday, May 21, has been decided upon Mr. Wilson, who resides at Arcadia, N. Y., but who has been in this county for as "show day." The name of Ringling today, with Miss Mabel Ayer, at Barnes the last five weeks looking after his num- Brothers is not so well-known in Wichita erous farms, left for Humboldt, Kan., on as it will be after May 21, but the newspaper comments elsewhere apropos of the son is a large properly owner in and exhibition are of such a nature as to leave mission of the frontier at the same place around Humboldt. After a short stay no doubt as to the vast extent of the show mission of the frontier at the same place there he will go at once to his old home in and the unusual strength of the and there was plenty of even for both New York. Mr. Wieson is found in his performance. The performers embrace. The reply to this, after thanking his yesterday and reported everything in that would not be surprising if he made his The well known European trials riders, venient site had been found for the pro-

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honest toward all. Everybody likes to buy when they know they can get a square deal, and a gleam of sunshine in the faces of the salesmen. Come in for a shine and be shown.

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a pair of ariealists whose daring feats in midair have never been equalled by any other performer in their line. It is given out as a sober fact that the clowns are actually funny; while the ring horses are all selected form highbred stock, the double herd of quadrille dancing elephant are marvels of brute intelligence and train ing. The hippodrome races are run for "blood," and the menagrie covers almost the entire range of rare, wild animals securable for exhibition purposes. A distinct feature is made of the horse fair. which embrases 350 head of fine stock, among other novelties being a great Per cheron horse weighing 1,800 pounds and with mane 9 feet in length The parade, whice takes place at 10 o'clock in the morning over the principal streets is made a particularly strong feature. The Ringwhich will undoubtedly attract a great deal of attention. One is a mamoth highthe parade through the streets; the other The locomotive is furnished with a callione, and the largest of the bells weighs half a top, so that the parade is pretty sure to "make itself heard," particularly as the musical section of the display is reenforced by ten distinct brass and reed bands.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ATTENTION, PRESBYTERIANS. A matter of special importance will be brought before the congregation of the First Presbyterian church tonight at the close of the S o'clock meeting, which will make it desirable that there be a large at-

tendance of both ladies and gentlemen. NOTICE TO HED MEN. Arizona tribe No. 22 meet Friday even-A. G. MYATT, C. of R.

Wichita lodge No. 189, Knights of Pythias. Regular meeting this evening at So'clock sharp. Work in the First and Third ranks. A full attendance is re-8 o'clock snark. A full attendance is in Third ranks. A full attendance is in quested. Knights visiting in the city cor-dially invited to attend. H. McCare, C. C. CHAS M. FECHHEIMER. K. of R. & S.

MASONIC ELECTION. Wichits chapter No. 5 of Ross Croix, A. & A Scotlish Rite Masons will meet at 30 o'clock this evening for election of R. ALLEY HALL, W. M. D. A. MITCHELL, Sec y.

DESIRE OF HONOR. Regular meeting of Degree of Honor oright in A. O. U. W. hall, North Market

ATTENTION ENIGHTS TEMPLAR. Your attention is hereby directed to our attendance to take part in the drill, but there he a good turn out at \$6'clock his evening. A. C. Rusyrov, this evening. Captain General.

please notice that the place of meeting to-day is changed to the residence of Mrs. Lucien Miner, 1529 North Waco, Bill of MIS. R. E. SPANGLER, Pres. The committees on fine and decorative art of the Ladies club will meet at room till. Sedgwick building, Friday at So'clock Every member is urgently requested to be

as a plan of the work is to t. ENTLY JENYLL

The members of the cooking ciub will

An Accounte of the Emir. Mr. Pyne, an English engineer resident at Cabul, in the service of the emir. tells a good story about his highness and the Russians. Mr. Pyne is stated to have been told it by the emir himself. The Russian governor of Turkestan sent to the emir saying that it was proposed to exercise some 500 artillery and cavalry on the Afghan frontier, and expressing the hope that it would not give rise to approhensions on the part of To this his highness replied that he had no objection, because as it happened that he was about to exercise among many other high-salaried people, highness was that another more con-

He Is a Happy Boy at Times. There is at least one boy in this city who is overjoyed by the news of every funeral the services of which are to be held in the church to which he is uttached. He is only nine years old and is a very poor lad, the child of needy parents. He sings in the church choir, and whenever the choir is called upon to sing at a funeral he is paid the cana of one dellar for his service in it. Yesterday ferenoon he rushed home to tell his mamma that there were to be two funerals in the afternoon. He laughed beyond measure as he shouted, "Good news, mam! two funerals!" He danced and was filled with blies over the pres pect. He had not sung at a funeral for nearly a week, and had been disconse late. His mother, too, was happy over the news, for she needed money and her way locomotive which draws a section of husband was out of work. When the lad returned home with two dollars is a great chime of Russian cathedral bells. after the funerals the household was cheered up and the family got a good dinner.-New York Sun.

Copper kettles may be cleaned and polished by taking a lemon and cutting it in two; then dip one of the pieces in sait and rub well over the copper

To Henry Ward Beecher we owe these lines: "The babe at first feeds upon the mother's bosom, but is always on her



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